

WEEKLY REMINDERS:

SEE BELOW for Next Outside Reading Information on Book Club #3.

WOTW (1): allegory (n.) - a form of extended metaphor in which objects, persons, and actions in a narrative are equated with meanings that lie outside the narrative itself. The underlying meaning may have moral, social, religious, or political significance, and characters are often personifications of abstract ideas such as charity, greed, or envy.

WOTW (2): satire (n.) - A literary approach that ridicules or examines human vice or weakness.

VOCABULARY DUE: December 18th [THIS FRIDAY]

THIS IS YOUR LAST DAY TO WORK ON YOUR GOOGLE SLIDESHOW. If that's completed, know that it will be graded on WEDNESDAY, then do the following:

Period 1, 3, 4, 7:

1. Continue creating your Google Slideshow for Senior Showcase Night using the links under "Senior Showcase Examples" on my wikispace. Be certain the slideshow is located in your new Drive folder so I can access it. **THESE WILL BE GRADED ON WEDNESDAY.**

Period 6:

1. Begin handout on "scansion."
2. Complete majority of learning how to perform scansion on poetry.

Period 8:

1. View the rest of Act I of *The Crucible*. Discuss.

BOOK TALK ON JANUARY 6th:

1. Create a test for the book you read. **DO NOT USE ANYONE ELSE'S TEST QUESTIONS!** Include a variety of kinds of questions such as true/false (5), multiple choice (3), matching (5), fill-in the blank (2), 1 short answer, and 1 essay. Be creative, but you must have a total of 17 questions, one of which must be an essay. The essay question should be broad enough to require (at least) a two-paragraph answer. Be sure to write clear directions for each section.

2. Attach a completed answer key. (Do this by photocopying or printing out a second copy of the test and filling in your answers on the test, including the minimum requirements for a sample essay answer.) Your test should be typed. Do not plagiarize.
3. You will use this test as the guide to your Book Talk, which will be 7 minutes long on **January 6, 2016**. You will turn this in along with a completed rubric, graded by your peers. Total Value = 75 points